

**Pirates' Treasure Found in Florida.** Two small fortunes in Spanish doubloons unearthed supposed to have been planted by Kidd or Morgan.  
In Next Sunday's POST-DISPATCH.

**A Ragged Miner's ... Lucky Find.**  
The largest sapphire ever found in America unearthed in Idaho.  
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# "A Good Advertisement is the Lever That Moves the Business World."

## DYNAMITE BOMB FOR GEN. SMITH.

**HIS HOUSE WRECKED AND MRS. SMITH INJURED.**  
**EXPLOSION HEARD FOR MILES.**

**Former Governor of the Soldiers' Home at Leavenworth Has a Narrow Escape.**

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., June 11.—A diabolical attempt was made upon the life of Gov. Andrew J. Smith of the National Soldiers' Home and his wife and daughter between 4 and 5 o'clock this morning by some dastard who is as yet unknown. Dynamite was employed in the outrage, and the explosion, which all but demolished the Governor's beautiful residence, aroused the residents of the city and houses trembled as if undergoing an earthquake shock.

Mrs. Smith had a miraculous escape from death, the base of the explosion being directly beneath her bed-chamber. Besides being cut and bruised by broken glass and pieces of flying brick-a-brac and furniture, she was flying completely prostrated by the frightful shock and is now in a precarious condition. Gov. Smith and their daughter, Miss Daisy, occupied rooms on the second floor and were far enough removed from the explosion to escape the serious consequences suffered by Mrs. Smith.

The residence is a scene of wreckage. The brick walls are torn and cracked, one side being almost completely blown out. The windows are shattered and the debris scattered over the grounds for a distance of several rods. The interior is a scene of confusion and destruction, with broken brick-a-brac and furnishings utterly wrecked.

The report of the explosion was distinctly heard in this city, three miles away, and many residents were aroused by the shock, which was not unlike the trembling produced by an earthquake. Veterans in the barracks were thrown from their cots and a panic was with difficulty prevented.

Gov. Smith attributes the attempt on his life and that of his family as a direct result of the persecution that has been waged against him during the past five or six years. The veterans at the home are standing by him manfully and swear they will lynch the wretch if he be caught.

Joseph W. Oliver, a dishonorably discharged veteran, has been arrested by the police of this city. Circumstantial evidence against him is strong. He had just come to his room after being out all night. His clothes were bedraggled and he said he was sorry the explosion had not killed the Governor, as he deserved such a fate. Oliver bears a rough reputation.

### A FAST BOAT.

**First Speed Trial of the Steam Yacht Ellide.**

NEW YORK, June 11.—Passengers looking out of the windows of a south-bound train on the Hudson River Railroad in the vicinity of Dobbs' Ferry saw the steam yacht Ellide, belonging to E. Burgess Warren of Philadelphia, racing down the river against time, and incidentally also making almost as good time as the train. Timed by two watches which agreed to half a second, the yacht covered a measured mile in 10.45, which is at the rate of 3.5 miles an hour, and on the run preceding it she covered the same distance in 10.55, or at the rate of 3.3 miles an hour. Making the mean of the two runs 3.4 miles an hour.

The run was a preliminary one. Upon her official trial, which is to take place in about ten days, it is estimated that the boat will travel between 35 and 40 miles an hour.

### HELD FOR FORGETFULNESS.

**Arthur Cross Detained Till He Can Tell About His Nose.**

Arthur Cross, a bricklayer, 38 years old, living at 4061 Olive street, is a prisoner at the City Hospital.

There seems no reason for his detention by the authorities except that he cannot tell how his nose was broken Thursday night. He was found on Eighth street, near Olive, about midnight, and was bleeding profusely. The hospital physicians say Cross was drunk and can't remember how nor where his face was disfigured.

### STANDARD OIL PROFITS.

**Prices of Certificates Are on an Unprecedented Boom.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
NEW YORK, June 11.—Standard Oil Trust liquidating certificates sold on the curb yesterday afternoon late at \$19. This is but one point under the high record price of 20, made on May 14. The quotation on May 14, however, carried with it a dividend of 10 per cent. As the certificates are now selling "ex" this dividend, yesterday's price may be said to be practically an advance of 9 points above the highest price in May.

### WAS IN NO HURRY.

**Broker Chapman Took His Time Leaving the Jail.**

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 11.—Broker Elverson R. Chapman spent the final night of his term in the District Jail last night. His sentence expired at midnight, but according to custom, he was "allowed to remain" till this morning. He accepted this final cour-

tesy at the hands of Warden Woodward laughingly, saying he should be sorry to requite the hospitality he had received by seeming to hurry off precipitately. He might, had he so desired, have left in time to breakfast at the Arlington, but instead he breakfasted as usual in the jail and after finishing his meal spent an hour or more looking over his mail.

Chapman left the jail at about 10:15 o'clock. His five children were all with him at the time of the arrival of the carriage, and with them he drove rapidly to the city.

### JURY COULDN'T AGREE.

**A Mistrial in the Foley Double Murder Case.**

LIBERTY, Mo., June 11.—The jury in the case of William S. Foley, charged with the murder of his mother and sister, after remaining out since late yesterday, reported this morning that they were unable to agree upon a verdict.

When Foley was led into the room to hear the verdict, he maintained an attitude of composure and stolidity, which was maintained while it was being read. Judge Broadus immediately instructed the jury to retire and consider a verdict. "They must reach some decision," said he. It is said that the jury stood nine to three for conviction.

### THE IRISH FAIR.

**The Profits Were \$250,000 and a Contest Is On.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
NEW YORK, June 11.—The Fair in aid of an Irish Home and Headquarters in this city was closed after forty days. The net receipts are \$250,000.

A law suit is threatened over one of the voting contests. On May 20 an evening newspaper issued a special edition of 50,000 copies, each copy containing a coupon blank for the most popular young woman at the fair. The winner was to receive a diamond shamrock brooch. Prominent in the contest were Mrs. James Moran and Miss Abbie C. Jennings. The coupons were exhausted and then votes at \$5 each were accepted. Mrs. Moran won by her husband depositing forty votes with a \$200 check. Miss Jennings claims the cash votes are illegal.

### A LIVELY SKIRMISH.

**Deputy Sheriffs and Highwaymen Fight at Beloit, Wis.**

BELOIT, Wis., June 11.—Two deputy sheriffs and two highwaymen were shot last night after an attempted holdup of a Beloit workman. The fleeing robbers ran through the streets of Beloit, and after a fusillade on Third street between them and citizens two of the desperate gang were captured. The officers wounded are George J. Bitzer and Ed Tully, deputy sheriff of Winnebago County. Both will recover. One of the tramps was shot in the face and another in the lower part of the body.

### SAWED HIS WAY OUT.

**A Murderer Sentenced to Hang Makes His Escape.**

SOLOMONVILLE, A. T., June 11.—Augustine Chacon, murderer, sentenced to be hanged on the 15th of this month, sawed his way to liberty. He cut through the jail wall into the Sheriff's office and from there easily gained freedom. Chacon will not be caught without a struggle and probably will never be taken alive. He killed Paul Becker, whose store he was attempting to rob at Morenci.

### SUGAR STOCK ADVANCES.

**Refined Sugar Also Goes Up, Adding to Trust Profits.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
NEW YORK, June 11.—Sugar stock is on a boom as a result of the tariff manipulations. Its shares have advanced \$1 and the trust has taken a profit of \$18,000,000 since the Dingley bill went to the Senate. Not only has the stock advanced, but all grades of refined sugar have been advanced too. One-eighth of a cent on most sugars, and 1-16 cents on others was the advance made yesterday.

## HANNA DEFIES PUBLIC OPINION

**BY INSISTING ON DISREPUTABLE APPOINTMENTS TO GOOD FEDERAL OFFICES.**

**Three Notorious New Orleans Characters to Be Rewarded for Dirty Election Work.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
NEW YORK, June 11.—The determination of Senator Hanna to appoint three notorious characters to the best Federal offices in New Orleans is the basis of a page expose in a dispatch to a morning paper to-day under Washington date.

They are A. T. Wimberly, Henry Demas and Walter Cohen, and the offices to be filled are Collector of Customs of Naval Officer and of Surveyor of the Port of New Orleans.

It is charged that these men represented McKinley's interests in Louisiana, that they received money for bribing purposes from "Cousin" Osborn, who went from Boston to New Orleans to manage things, that they bought delegates, and that Osborn also paid cash for votes. When the St. Louis Convention met Mark Hanna caused Wimberly's election as National Committeeman over the protest of ex-Gov. Warmoth, Kellogg and others.

When it was rumored that the President would honor the men protests fairly deluged the White House. Among them was one from nearly one hundred of the most prominent women of New Orleans, who in their protest used the following language: "We, the women of Louisiana, desire you to know that we will not support the President who would honor the men protests fairly deluged the White House."

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"Dear Sir: This will introduce A. T. Wimberly, Henry Demas and Walter Cohen, who have been appointed to the Collectorship of the Port of New Orleans, and whom I consult concerning the patronage of Louisiana. I desire you to know him."

Later a committee went to Washington from New Orleans and protested against the appointment. From them and the letters and affidavits of the Chief of Police and others the men are shown to have this record:

Wimberly—No social or commercial standing, no visible means of support, twice removed from office for cause by ex-President Harrison, one charge being that he and Demas were about to sell the Republic votes in the Legislature to the lottery to which charge he is said to have confessed. He is also charged with obtaining money under false pretense, ex-Secretary Foster has protested against his appointment on moral grounds.

Demas—That he is reckless, unprincipled and disreputable, having sold his vote as a member of the Louisiana Legislature habitually for money; that he was one of the four State Senators who for \$10,000 each deserted from the Packard Legislature to the Nicholson Legislature in 1877; that he was also owner of two lottery offices in New Orleans, given him by the lottery company in consideration of his support in the Legislature.

Cohen—That he is the keeper of a gambling-house for roustabout negroes on Richmond street, and also the proprietor of a low dive in Custom-house street, both of which he put into a relative's hands when he became a candidate.

Senator Hanna has notified the President that he must stand by the men, and Mr. McKinley is in a quandary. It is alleged in most positive terms that the President admitted that the appointment of Wimberly was one not fit to be made, but that Hanna was his friend, Hanna has also stated that Demas and Cohen were good enough to do his (Hanna's) work down there, and he had relied upon them to do work at the Louisiana planters and other men who claimed to be for McKinley declined to do.

That these men were the only men they could look to for assistance, and if they were good enough for their work, why they needed them, they were good enough to be recognized for doing it.

## NATIONAL HANDICAP.

**M'KINLEY'S ENTRY, PROSPERITY, NAILED TO THE TRACK.**



## GOING AHEAD WITHOUT MURPHY.

**TRIAL OF THE MEN WHO BEAT AN ELECTION CLERK.**

**FOURTEENTH WARD FRAUDS.**

**Johnson Tells Judge Fisse How He Was Slugged for Refusing to Give His Aid.**

The trial of C. William Mueller, James J. Moran, C. H. Shokmiller, Thomas F. Carey and Thomas F. Dunn, charged with having violated the election laws in Precinct 8, Fourteenth Ward, on May 18, the date of the recent School Board election, was begun in the Court of Criminal Corrections Friday morning.

The audience resembled the crowd at a ward convention, but the politicians who were present were not of the better class. Ed Butler was in the room for a few minutes, but left in disgust, after he heard a court attaché say that the Judge would certainly hold the men.

Judge Murphy, true to his resolve, being still absent, William G. Fisse, who was appointed by the Circuit Court to fill the vacancy, again took the bench.

The five defendants, all young men, were well dressed and appeared quite intelligent. They were represented by Attorneys Ford Smith and John Gernex.

Mr. G. W. Jones, Chairman of the Board of Election Commissioners, was the first witness called. He testified that the names of the defendants were recorded in the names of Judges and Clerks appointed by the Election Commissioners to serve on May 18 and described how the appointments were made.

John Moore, a clerk for the Election Board, also identified the paper and it was introduced as evidence. It shows that the above named defendants were the judges and clerks at Precinct 8 Fourteenth Ward.

Mr. Gernex was a carbon copy, but Judge Fisse ruled that Chairman Jones' identification was sufficient, and it became a part of the records.

Richard W. Johnson, the principal witness on the part of the State, was called and described how the poll books were signed early in the day, "to save time," as the judges said. Then he told how, when the count was made, names were placed opposite candidates' names without reference to the ballots. At this stage he objected and taking a pen drew a mark through his name.

For this, Dunn, the other clerk, jumped on him, and he was kicked out of the room. "Who struck you the first blow?" asked Prosecuting Attorney Mulvihill.

"Thomas Dunn, the other clerk."

"I don't know. They all jumped on me and I was so dazed that I do not remember what happened then."

"When did this occur?"  
"As the ballots were being counted, soon after the polls closed."  
"Did you return?"  
"No, sir. I was too badly hurt."

Mr. Mulvihill asked the witness to identify the poll books and tally sheets kept in the precinct. He did so, and the documents were introduced in evidence.

The witness was turned over for cross-examination and after a long argument as to who should conduct the same, Judge Fisse said that if Schokmiller did not protest against the procedure as well as he.

"Yes, he did."

"And did he not call upon you the following morning and say that he would visit the Election Commissioners and have his name scratched from the book?"

"Yes."

"Did he do so?"

"Not to my knowledge."

## JAMES FRENCH WAS HANGED.

**ROCKFORD WIFE MURDERER SWUNG INTO ETERNITY.**

**HIS CRIME A BRUTAL ONE.**

**He Killed His Wife in a Fit of Insane Jealousy and Attempted Suicide.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
ROCKFORD, Ill., June 11.—At 11:22 a. m. Jim French fell through the drop into eternity, avenging the murder of his wife and fulfilling the sentence of the court. He kept his nerve to the last, telling Sheriff Oliver that he had nothing to say and "am in the hands of my spiritual advisers."

After his legs and arms were pinioned the shroud was put on him and the cap



JAMES FRENCH.

adjusted. French either lost his balance or fainted and was supported for a second by the deputies and the drop sprung.

French's neck was broken and physicians say that death was instantaneous. The body was cut down after thirteen minutes' suspension.

French awoke at 4:30 from an apparently sound sleep and seemed refreshed. His breakfast was served him at 6:30, consisting of three small fried buns, a large allowance of potatoes, two eggs, two cups of coffee and finished with strawberries and radishes, enjoying all.

Sheriff Oliver allowed him to talk only to a few, but he was in the best of spirits and his laugh rang through the jail several times. He occupied the time talking with the death watch and Father Burke until the party formed for the gallows.

Sheriff Oliver suffered with nervous prostration.

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## WOMAN HELD UP ON BROADWAY.

**THE STREET WAS CROWDED, BUT THE ROBBER GOT AWAY.**

**TOOK MRS. SCHOON'S PURSE.**

**The Footpad Shoved Her Against the Wall at St. Charles Street and Choked Her.**

Mrs. Carrie Schoon was the victim of a bold highway robbery in the very heart of the downtown district just at dusk.

Mrs. Schoon lives at 3886 Marine avenue. She went up town to do some shopping. She had visited some of the big department stores on North Broadway, and was walking south on Broadway to make other purchases before taking a car home.

She had a number of bundles in her arms, and the busy thoroughfare was crowded with pedestrians. She hurried across St. Charles street, and just as she stepped on the pavement on the south side of the street, a large and roughly-clad man, wearing a slouch hat and dark clothes, brushed against her. She did not realize that the collision was intentional on the man's part, and she hastily stepped to one side.

The fellow saw his advantage. Mrs. Schoon was on the western edge of the pavement, and it was an easy matter for him to give her a shove and send her several feet west on St. Charles street. He sprang upon her and, pressing her close against the side of the building, choked her with one hand to prevent her from screaming, while he used the other hand to seize her purse.

The whole thing occupied but a few seconds. Before Mrs. Schoon realized her situation she was released and the footpad was sending away south on Broadway. He was watching him in a dazed sort of fashion and saw him dart into an alley and disappear.

Then she saw a policeman in uniform walking gayly south on Broadway. He was twirling his cane, but stopped when he saw her plight. He hurried to her aid and was accosted by Mrs. Schoon. She told him of her experience and gave as accurate a description of her assailant as her fright would permit.

Mrs. Schoon said she had about \$5 in her purse when it was taken from her. The policeman went in search of the highwayman and Mrs. Schoon went home. When the policeman failed to overtake the robber he went to the police station and made out a report, which was promptly suppressed at headquarters.

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## THE WEATHER FORECAST.

**SHOWERS AND COOLER.**

For St. Louis and vicinity—Showers late Friday afternoon or Friday night; Saturday generally fair; cooler Friday night.

For Missouri—Partly cloudy Friday afternoon; generally fair Friday night and Saturday; cooler Friday night; warmer in Northwest portion Saturday.

For Illinois—Partly cloudy Friday afternoon and Friday night, with possibly showers Friday afternoon; cooler Friday night; Saturday fair.

## POST-DISPATCH THERMOMETER.

7 a. m.	56	11 a. m.	62
8 a. m.	57	1 p. m.	63
9 a. m.	58	3 p. m.	64
10 a. m.	59	5 p. m.	65
11 a. m.	60	7 p. m.	66

## BURIAL PERMITS.

The following deaths have been reported in the city during the twenty-four hours ending at noon:  
JOHN J. PARKER, 60, 514 Elm; consumption.

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## WALTER MARDER GETS A SHOCK.

**SERVED WITH PAPERS IN A SUIT FOR DIVORCE.**

**Wife Charges Infidelity.**

**Mr. Marder Is Manager of the Central Type Foundry and Is Well Known About Town.**

Walter S. Marder, manager of the Central Type Foundry and a well-known figure about town, was notified by a Sheriff's Deputy, Friday morning, that suit for divorce has been instituted against him in the Circuit Court by his wife, Franc R. Marder.

The couple lived, until a few months ago, in a small house at 4411 McPherson avenue, from whence the wife removed to the Franklin, a family hotel at the corner of Grand and Washington avenues.

The separation of husband and wife took place April 19 last.

Recently Mrs. Marder announced that she was going to Denver to visit her parents, and would probably remain away during the summer. The filing of her suit for divorce by her attorney, Robert L. McLagan, shows she is not very far away.

Mrs. Marder was formerly Miss Franc Robbins. She was married to Mr. Marder at her home, in Chicago, January 11, 1893, and it is recalled that the couple were received in the best St. Louis society with demonstrations of pleasure.

There were high teas and receptions without number and for a whole year their lot appeared to be a very happy one.

But the fair petitioner now avers that in January, 1894, Mr. Marder began to neglect his wife and seek the society of other women.

In the language of the papers, he "adopted" and followed in the year 1894 and ever since then a course of inhuman and improper treatment of plaintiff and has continuously for the past three years offered to the plaintiff such indignities as to render her condition intolerable.

Wherefore she asks a decree of absolute divorce with the restoration of her maiden name of Robbins.

Mrs. Marder further avers that between January, 1894, and January, 1897, Mr. Marder "committed adultery with different women, whose names are unknown to the plaintiff."

This suit was instituted several days ago, but did not appear on the divorce entry, a deputy clerk giving as a reason that Mrs. Marder's name was mistaken for that of a man, and the case was put on the record of business suits. However that may be, it resulted in a suppression of the news.

The case has been assigned to Judge Klein's court, room No. 1, and will come up for a hearing at the June term.

It was rumored that Mr. Marder had filed a cross-bill, stating his side of the controversy and making retaliatory charges, but that he had been advised to desist and had made such a move, leaving the probabilities in favor of his permitting judgment to be entered save defeat of the law.

The late home of the Marders is now a fashionable boarding house, kept by Miss L. D. Crump. During the residence of the couple there and just after their removal to the Franklin, there had trouble and there were stories of a scandalous nature circulated.

When the wife left for Denver her mail was said to have been forwarded by her attorney, who remained for two weeks at the hotel. Her parents reside in Denver.

Mr. McLagan, attorney for plaintiff, said: "I see no reason why this suit should be deemed sensational. It is merely a case where two young people have made a mistake, and perhaps the best thing they can do is to separate and begin life anew in different paths. They have no children and no ties that can hold them together."

"Mrs. Marder is not in St. Louis to-day. I told her that there was no reason why she should not go away on a little visit to her relatives, but she will return in ample time to appear in court."

"I have received no notice of a cross-bill, and the probabilities are that she will not be contested. Further than that I have nothing to say."

## KIRTLEY'S CASE CONTINUED.

**Defendant Is Charged With Murder in Macon County.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
MACON, Mo., June 11.—On account of the Circuit Clerk's deputy failing to get an order for the April Grand-jury recorded, defendant Kirtley applied for and was granted a continuance until September. Two witnesses were also absent. Kirtley is charged with murder.

## A FAKE SCHEME.

**Citizens of Carlyle, Ill., Indignant at the St. Louis Republic.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
CARLYLE, Ill., June 11.—The correspondence of the Post-Dispatch has been requested by prominent citizens to announce that a meeting of the citizens of Carlyle who consider themselves faked by the St. Louis Republic advertising scheme will be held at the office of J. J. McGaffigan on Saturday, June 12, at 8 o'clock p. m. to take such action as they may deem necessary. A local paper this afternoon publishes a call for the above meeting.

## THE BOOM BROKE.

**Allowing Several Million Feet of Lumber to Float Away.**

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., June 11.—A large part of a drive of logs in the Connecticut River, which contained 200,000 feet of timber, is on the way to the Sound, the boom at Holyoke, which was relied upon to stop them, having broken this morning. Thousands of people line the banks, watching the drift of the logs, and many are striving to catch some of the logs for fire-wood.







## THE PRESIDENT AT NASHVILLE.

**DISTINGUISHED GUEST OF THE CENTENNIAL EXPOSITION.**

**MADE A PLEASANT SPEECH.**

**Recalled the Glorious Memories of the State and Praised its Latter-Day Accomplishments.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., June 11.—This is Ohio day at the Exposition, and large delegations of police, militia, members of secret orders and general visitors are here from Cincinnati, Toledo, Columbus and Cleveland, as well as the smaller cities of the Buckeye State.

President McKinley and party arrived at the Union Depot early this morning, having made the trip by slow stages from Washington. They were escorted by the Exposition Executive Committee to the Maxwell House where they took breakfast, after which Governor Taylor was received. At 10:30 the President and party, accompanied by Governor Bushnell and his staff, were escorted to the Centennial grounds.

The escort also included Gov. Taylor and staff, United States and Tennessee regulars.

At 11 o'clock in the Auditorium addresses of welcome were delivered by President Thomas, Mayor McCarthy and Gov. Taylor and responses were made by Senator Clark of the Ohio Commission, Gov. Bushnell and President McKinley. The President in his address expressed his appreciation of the signal honor accorded his native State and congratulated the Governor of Tennessee, the Mayor of Nashville and the President and Directors of the Exposition upon the success of an enterprise which could not fail to result in improved business relations and a closer commercial union between the North and the South.

This afternoon at 2 o'clock the President, Mrs. McKinley and the accompanying ladies of the party will hold a reception for ladies in the Woman's Building. Tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock the President will hold a public reception in the Auditorium and if he is not called to Washington will remain to participate in the exercises of Cincinnati day. Tomorrow night he is scheduled to leave for Chattanooga.

There was great interest shown in President McKinley's speech to-day and he was greeted with much applause.

The President said: "Officers of the Tennessee Centennial Exposition, Ladies and Gentlemen: American nationality, compared with that of Europe and the East, is still very young and already we are beginning to have age enough for centennial anniversaries in States other than that of original thirteen. Such occasions are always interesting and when celebrated in a patriotic and useful and instructive manner, they recall what has been done by the past and point out what yet remains for both to accomplish in order to fulfill their highest destiny.

This celebration is of general interest to the whole country and of special significance to people of the South and West. It marks the end of the first century of the State of Tennessee and the beginning of its second century. One hundred and one years ago this State was admitted into the Union as the eleventh member in the great family of American commonwealths. It was a welcome addition to the nation's household—a community young, strong and sturdy, with an honored and heroic ancestry, with fond anticipations of the future, but faithful in its success on the part of far-seeing statesmen.

In all parts of the country, I am justified in saying that these anticipations have been grandly realized, that the present of the community of sterling worth is even brighter than prophetic of the past had dared to forecast.

The builders of the State who had forced their way through the trackless forest of this splendid domain, brought with them the same high ideals and fearless devotion to home and country, founded on resistance to oppression, which have made illustrious the Anglo-American name. Whether in the Territory of Virginia or that of North Carolina, mattered little to them. They came willing and eager to fight for independence and liberty and in the war of the revolution were ever at the standard of Washington. When their representatives served in the colonial assembly of North Carolina they chose for the first time in our country, so far as I know—the great name of Washington for the district in which they lived and at the close of the revolution sought to organize their territory into a State to be known as the State of Franklin, in grateful homage to the name of another of its most distinguished patriot commoners.

Spain had sought to possess their territory by right of discovery as a part of Florida. France claimed it by right of cession as a part of Louisiana and England as her conquest. But neither contention could for an instant be recognized. Moved by the highest instincts of self-government and the loftiest motives of patriotism, under gallant John Sevier and his associates, your forefathers bravely vindicated their honor and gloriously won their independence.

Thus came the new State, the second only then of the mighty West and South. And it has made a wonderful history for itself. Tennessee has sometimes been called the "Mother of Southwestern States." It furnished the immortal Jackson, whose record in war and whose administration in peace, as the head of the great republic, shiner on with the advancing years. The century has increased the obligations of his countrymen and exalted him in their affection. Polk and Johnson also were products of this great State, and many more heroes distinguished deeds whose names will come unbidden to your memories while I speak.

eventually pay for all its cost, as well as justify local sentiment and encourage State pride.

Men and women I see about me from all parts of the country and thousands more will assemble here before the exposition is closed. Let ourselves and let them always remember that whatever differences about politics may have existed, or still exist, we are all Americans before we are partisans, and while the warfare of all the people above party or section. Citizens of different States, we yet love all the States. The lesson of the hour, then, is this—that whatever adverse conditions may temporarily impede the pathway of our national progress, nothing can permanently defeat it.

A large number of people from the State of Illinois have been attracted by the dedication of the Illinois Building, a feature of the programme being the presentation to the Board of Managers of an exact reproduction in miniature of the Administration Building of the World's Columbian Exposition. The entire Chicago Board of Commissioners, forty in number, accompanied by their families, were present, and in addition to participating in the informal ceremonies busied themselves with the preliminary arrangements for Chicago Day, which has been fixed for Oct. 3—the anniversary of the great Chicago conflagration in 1871. Upon that occasion the entire militia of Illinois, to the number of nearly 5,000, will be present, together with many times that number of citizens of the Prairie State.

**JOINED THE JEWS.**

**Preliminary to Miss Belknap Wedding.**

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 11.—The most interesting love story Washington has had in the past generation is that of the wooing of Mr. Paul May, the young Jewish attaché of the Belgian Legation a year ago, and Miss Belknap, daughter of the ex-Secretary of War.

Miss Belknap will renounce her religion and become a Jewess. She will take the "bath of purification" as a preliminary and will enter fully into the Jewish faith with all the pomp and ceremony befitting the rank of the bride-elect of the son of the old Belgian family.

One of May's sisters is married to a Rothschild.

**WITH WILLFUL MURDER.**

**Mrs. Campbell Will Be Charged for Accidentally Killing Maud Devere.**

Col. Dick Johnson, Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, will issue a warrant Saturday, charging Mrs. May Campbell with murder in the first degree.

In shooting at her husband in Maud Devere's house on Center street, three weeks ago, Mrs. Campbell shot Maud Devere in the knee. Blood poisoning set in and the Devere woman died.

Johnson, although shot through the head, Col. Johnson holds that the Campbell woman is guilty murder in the first degree, in that she was shooting at her husband with the intention of killing him when one of the bullets struck Maud Devere, and a State statute makes it a crime to shoot at a person with the intent to kill.

The defendant did not intend to kill Maud Devere.

**KNIGHTS OF HONOR.**

**The Annual Session Will Continue Nearly a Week Longer.**

The twenty-fourth annual session of the Knights of Honor, which has been in session at the Southern Hotel since last Tuesday, will continue a week longer. A vast volume of routine business is yet to be transacted. Thirty-seven States are represented in the convention, and it is in many respects a notable body. There was a spirited discussion Friday over the matter of allowing benefits to members. Some of the more generously inclined members advocated greater leniency in regard to the payment of premiums and dues, while others, with an eye to business, urged that the rules be strictly enforced. The matter will not be settled until the Saturday meeting. Other routine matters were discussed Friday.

**Gas Stoves, \$1 Down and 50c a Week.**

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**A MISTRIAL.**

**Jury in the Simpson-Griffin Case Disagreed.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

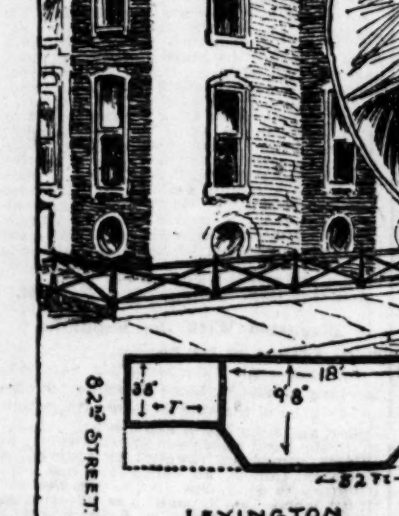
MACON, Mo., June 11.—After being out three and one-half hours, yesterday at 5 o'clock the jury in the Griffin-Simpson slander and libel suit for the third time during the afternoon, reported they could not agree on a verdict after being lectured by Judge Andrew Ellison, saying they should have decided the case in five minutes. The jury was discharged. The jury stood nine for Griffin and three for Simpson. The case comes up again in September.

**The Wabash Is the Direct Line**

**To Lake Minnetonka, St. Paul and Minneapolis.**

**Deserted Her Baby.**

A pretty octonoon asked Henry Johnson, colored, 580 Plymouth avenue, to hold her baby for a few minutes Thursday while she went to a store. She never returned. The 4-months old child was turned over to the police.



**MILLIONAIRE RICHARDSON AND HIS "SPICE HOUSE."**

Joseph Richardson, the contractor, who died the other day in New York, was worth, it is said, \$20,000,000. He had his coffin made thirty-two years ago, and it has been held in readiness for him ever since. He lived for years in a four-story house that was only five feet wide, built out of spite because a neighbor who wanted the site would not pay the price he valued it at.

## GRAVES STILL RULES THE ROOST.

**DARK LANTERN METHODS GO IN THE COUNCIL.**

**PRES. MEIER TURNED DOWN.**

**He Interviewed the Secretary and Came to an Understanding of Who Was Supreme Boss.**

Charles R. Graves, Secretary of the City Council, member of the secret Advisory Committee, Friday's relative and cuckoo and the little gutta percha Chair of the administration, is still in the saddle.

President E. F. W. Meier of the Council tried to unhorse him, but failed dismally. When Mr. Meier was seen he was visibly perturbed.

"This is very strange," he said. "I don't understand it. There was no such rule in effect when I was in the Council before. The reporters and other interested persons have always been permitted to see him in course of passage whenever they wanted. I will see Mr. Graves and ask him for an explanation."

After seeing Mr. Graves, he said: "It will be all right; you will have no trouble in the future. I think his position on the Wittenberg bill was all right. It had been passed by the House and engrossed. It could be seen over there. But you will not be prevented from seeing him introduced in the Council."

Friday morning Mr. Graves was asked for the amateur photographer bill introduced last week.

"You can't see it," he said, quite cheerfully. "The rules of the Council forbid it."

"But President Meier says we may see Council bills which have been introduced," Mr. Graves hummed a bar of "All Coons Look Alike to Me."

"Mr. Meier did not talk that way to me," he said. "You still refuse to show the bill."

Mr. Meier was told by telephone of Mr. Graves' defiance.

"I can't understand that," he said. "Mr. Graves must have misunderstood me. I can't come up and see him."

Half an hour later the President of the Council stood in the presence of the Secretary of the Council. The President was in a bad humor. He said that he thought Mr. Graves' position was a little extreme.

Mr. Graves said it wasn't anything of the kind.

"Well, let me see the rule," the President meekly requested.

"Here it is. It says I am the custodian of all bills, and they must not go out of my custody except to the committee to which they are referred."

"Do you think that means that nobody is to see them except members of the committee?"

"Certainly do."

"Well, it has always been the custom for reporters at the Council meeting to reach over to the secretary's desk and get bills and look at them."

"I have no objection to them still doing that."

Mr. Meier bowed to the superior wisdom and will power of the secretary and withdrew.

He stammered a great deal when a reporter asked him the result of the conference.

"I hardly know what to say," he said. "I shall speak to some of the members of the Council and see what they think about it. It is certainly a strange rule. We will have to see what can be done about it."

**"UNBALANCED BIDS."**

**Revised Schedule and Reluctant Ordered for Street Repair Contracts.**

The Board of Public Improvements talked about "unbalanced bids" for an hour Friday without reaching any conclusion.

The Committee on Street Department, to which the bids for street repairs were referred Tuesday, reported without recommendation.

Mr. Holman moved that all the bids be rejected and a relitigating ordered. The other members thought this rather an arbitrary proceeding and after a little informal discussion Mr. Holman amended his motion to refer to committee of the whole. The motion was adopted.

## EDISON Projecting Kinetoscope.

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## GRADUATES OF MARY INSTITUTE.

**COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES AT 14TH STREET THEATER.**

**MISS FERRIS' WITTY PAPER.**

**Miss Althea Somerville Showed Why the Great American Novelist Will Come From St. Louis.**

The stage of the Fourteenth Street Theater never made a prettier picture than 10:30 o'clock Friday morning, when several hundred girls of Mary Institute, of Washington University, sat upon it. In front were the graduates, twenty-two in number, gowning in simple but pretty white organdies, and all carrying great, spreading bouquets of pink roses, their class flower.

Many of them had their hair up for the first time, and their pretty faces, flushed by the excitement of the day, meant so much to them, rivaled the pink roses in color.

Back of the graduates were the younger girls of the various classes, all in white and with their various class colors indicated by the sashes and ribbons they wore. The little girls brought up the rear of the beautiful stage picture. The chancellor sat in one of the boxes with some of the faculty from Washington University, and in the others were the Mary Institute teachers and some of the alumnae. The audience was too large for the seating capacity of the house. It was feminine in its make-up, but here and there were a few coats upon the backs of the fair girls in the graduating class.

Outside there was a string of rubber-tired carriages, with liveried coachmen and footmen, for the audience in the theater represented the graduates of the city, and the stage was the daughters of the wealthiest and most fashionable families in St. Louis.

From the stage the audience was as pretty as the stage from the audience. The singing director, and to the accompaniment of Paul, sang Schnabel's "Hymn of Praise," there was a prayer, a graceful little welcoming address by Miss Elsie Taylor, and then the exercises began.

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On the programme there were two essays, "The American Novel," by Miss Althea Somerville, and "Council on Mount Olympus," by Miss Margery May.

The title of the latter might have frightened some of the people, but their fears were groundless. It was as light as the dullest comedy, and it was full of bright little flashes of wit that were much enjoyed, especially by the other girls of the class.

The commencement was different from what they have known before in another respect. On the corner of the card of admission was engraved "No Flowers" and the rule was strictly enforced. Several baskets sent to the girls were turned back at the entrance and sent to their homes. In addition to the flowers the graduates carried with them the flowers upon the stage were in the white and pink bouquets of the girls.

"Vincit qui se vincit"—Who conquers himself conquers all—lettered in pink. The American Novel was most ingeniously treated by Miss Somerville. She briefly reviewed the conditions surrounding the development of the novel in England, France, Germany, Russia, and the United States, and then she turned to the American novel, and said that the American novel was a new thing, a thing which the world had never seen before.

William Dean Howells has shown his ability to almost draw American character, but here and there the man who is to produce in the future the distinctive American novel, will be recognized by all Americans, will live in St. Louis. When he will write this novel, time alone can tell; certainly not until the people of all the country shall be as one people.

The council of the immortals on Mount Olympus, as described by Miss Ferris, contained no reference to the gods, Jupiter, Mercury and Venus; some of the ancients, Cicero and Virgil; Christopher Columbus and the discovery of America; the time of Charles Dickens. They were discussing the production of the American novel, and the proposition to admit them to membership among the immortals. Cicero was the one to whom the speaker especially alluded, and with whom he desired to collaborate.

Objected Minerva. "Those girls will be a thorn in your side, O Cicero."

"Not a splendid scholar," he quickly replied Cicero, for she is a rose (Miss Rose Tuholske, the highest honor graduate) without a thorn.

Without a thorn? The speaker, full of witty little sallies such as this, all referring pleasantly to the girls in the class. Each girl in the class was given a chance to speak, and the speaker was full of witty little sallies such as this, all referring pleasantly to the girls in the class.

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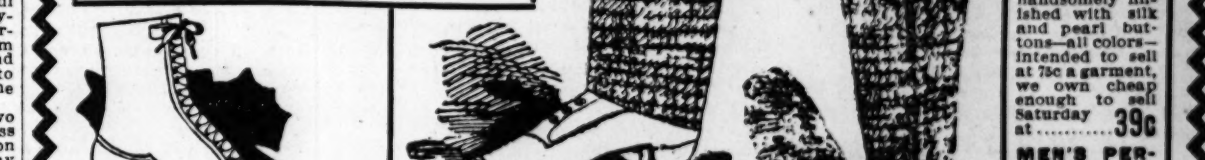
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JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., June 11.—Gov. Stephens to-day pardoned Martin B. Burns, who was sentenced in April, 1897, by the St. Louis Criminal Court, to one year in the city workhouse for burglary. His pardon was recommended by the trial judge and some of the most prominent citizens in St. Louis. He had previous to this crime borne a good reputation.

The Governor also remitted the fine of J. S. Williams, who was fined \$500 by the Carroll County Circuit Court upon the charge of attempting to bribe a juror. The petition for executive clemency states that during Williams' sixty years residence in Carroll County he had borne an exemplary reputation.

Of the class graduated the highest honors were taken by Miss Rose Tuholske and Miss Louise Sophie Ever. Miss Tuholske took much time because of sickness, but she is such a splendid scholar that she made no difference in the result. She also leaves the school with the highest average from year to year ever attained by a scholar of the institution.

The others graduated were Misses Selma







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## STABBED ABOUT A FRAUD WOMAN.

JOHN F. NEUN'S SIDE WAS RIPPED OPEN.

FRANK BRAY UNDER ARREST.

He Says He Didn't Do It, but Witnesses Say He Did, and His Knife Was Found.

John F. Neun was stabbed at 1:30 o'clock Friday morning during an altercation with Frank Bray, an unemployed machinist. The physicians at the City Hospital say he cannot recover.

The wound is about four inches deep, and the blade penetrated the intestines on the left side of the abdomen. Bray turned the knife, then drew it downward for nearly five inches. Neun was taken to the City Dispensary, then to the City Hospital. Inflammation set in, precluding all possibility of recovery.

Bray denies stabbing Neun.

Mrs. Neun and the police are positive that Bray did the cutting, and a long knife, with a dark-shaped blade, which was found on the route of Bray's flight, is supposed to be the weapon used. His accusers say it belongs to Bray.

Neun is the proprietor of a small lace laundry at 310 South Broadway. About two months ago he gave shelter to a woman who gave her name as Annie Schneiderman. By common repute her reputation was not good; but she said she wished to reform, and Neun and his wife took her in.

Bray was the woman's lover, and disappeared strongly of her attempted reformation. The Neuns claim that had he remained away, the woman would have been reclaimed. Bray, they say, was constantly importuning her to meet him, and the result was that she resumed her old life.

After a debate with Bray, the woman would return to her lover, and she would give him shelter. But she could not keep away from her lover, and her efforts to be good alienated her from the Neuns.

Neun objected and two weeks ago the Schneiderman woman was told she would either have to leave or make Bray stay away. She left with Bray, but a week ago returned.

She was taken back and all went well until Friday morning.

Neun is a consumptive and has been in wretched health for some time. Thursday night he and his wife took a long street car ride, and did not return until a little after 1 o'clock. Annie had been left to mind the house and also take care of Mrs. Neun's pet dogs. When the Neuns returned neither Annie nor the dogs were in the house.

Neun stepped out on the sidewalk to look for the servant, and Bray approached him. Neun said before he was taken to the hospital that he asked Bray where Annie was, and without replying, Bray drew his knife and plunged it into his abdomen.

Bray claims that Neun accused him of stealing the missing lace and that he denied it. He says Neun struck him on the back of the head and ran. He denies the cutting, but does not explain why he ran when Neun staggered towards a saloon, crying, "I'm stabbed."

Bray ran down Broadway and Mrs. Neun and a number of bystanders followed. Policeman Dunham took the chase and caught Bray.

No weapon was found on Bray, but subsequently Ulrich Langrath of 312 South Broadway picked up the knife in the roadway. It is a wide blade, and both edges had been ground to a razor keenness.

Bray was taken to the City Hospital. He is thirty-seven years of age and lived with his mother and sister, Mrs. Mary Neun, at 121 North Eleventh street. He claims never to have been in trouble before. The police claim he has a strong aversion to work and that he was contented to live off the earnings of the police.

He also said to have been in a cutting scrape several months ago, but was not prosecuted. He admits that he has not worked for a year, and has not tried to obtain employment. He denied the ownership of the knife.

Neun is twenty-six years old. The police record states that he is not married, but a woman known as Clara Hill, he was married several years ago, but has not lived with his wife for some time. The Hill woman, or Mrs. Hill, was at the hospital for several hours Friday morning, but Neun was unconscious and did not recognize her.

Anne Schneiderman has disappeared and both Bray and Mrs. Hill, or Neun, claim not to know her whereabouts.

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Mrs. Menough Secures a Warrant.

Mrs. Mary M. Menough, the poetess and novelist, residing at 111 North Second street, secured a warrant against Mrs. Maggie Cassidy, claiming her 6-year-old boy was being abused by the Cassidy children and when she went to protect him, Mrs. Cassidy threatened her with a knife. Mrs. Menough protected herself until the police came to her assistance.

Reunited After Six Years.

A happy sequel to a romantic love affair.

A fitting example of woman's devotion and unflinching truth in the love story of Miss Gertrude Leonard, a West End belle, who remained steadfastly true to her lover during a separation of six years.

The narrative as related by Miss Leonard to a Post-Dispatch reporter could be woven into as pretty a romance as was ever spun from a novelist's pen. Jack Gordon fell in love with little Gertrude Leonard when a mere boy. He grew to manhood and eagerly awaited the time to approach when youthful vows could be consummated. Jack had prepared a copy of his love letter, but the wedding day had been set. The happy time arrived, and all was in readiness. The bride, arrayed in creamy satin, awaited the arrival of her lover. He did not come, but in his stead came a messenger boy bearing the following note:

"I have gone on a difficult mission. May never return. Good-bye, Jack."

Time rolled on, and Gertrude remained true, believing that some day her lover would return. Saturday a bearded stranger made his appearance at her home, and she recognized him as Jack. He had returned from a long journey, and when pressed for an explanation said that he had made a wager on his wedding day that he could travel the world over in a pair of shoes that would last the entire trip. The shoes were bought of Harris, the \$4.00 shoe man, 520 Pine street. They can be seen on exhibition at his store this week. It is a remarkable and well-known fact that Harris' \$4.00 shoes wear longer than any other make.

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**DIED WITH HIS  
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INQUEST ON THE BODY OF HERMIT OTTO MARK.

HAD ROMANCE IN HIS LIFE.

Trinkets in His Attic Room Indicate That There Was a Woman in the Case.

An inquest held Friday morning over the body of Otto Mark, for years known as the hermit of the South Side, resulted in a verdict of "Death from natural causes."

The death of the hermit was due to acute inflammation of the kidneys, Wednesday night in the little attic room, which Mark had occupied forty years, at 1411 South Second street. The discovery that the old German had expired was not made until Thursday evening.

Otto Mark, who was believed to be 55 years old, was always a mystery to his associates and acquaintances. He came to St. Louis just before the war and moved into the attic room where he lived alone until death claimed him.

He cooked his own meals and did his own chores. Few persons ever saw the interior of his apartment, but those who did said the hermit was an omnivorous reader and had a well-stocked library of choice Latin and German works. He always parried any questions concerning his early life.

He had plenty to live, plenty of food, and plenty of money. There was once a rumor that he was a spy employed by the German Government, and there were other stories of letters received from him in Germany evidently written by a woman, but nobody ever ascertained the truth.

Coroner Walt caused several searches that were found in the attic to be brought to his office. They were filled with bits of ribbon, some medals and small volumes that were evidently presents.

Half a dozen pocketbooks filled with currency, one being a breast-pin of old design. In one of the searches was a lady's gold watch. It is of Geneva make, and bears the date 1815. Attached thereto was a slight gold chain. These articles speak of a romance in the misty past, but so far as the coroner's search was made nothing was found to throw a light on Otto Mark's life before he came to St. Louis.

A belt was found on the body. It contained \$15 in greenbacks and silver and a watch. Coroner Walt turned the property over to Public Administrator Richards, who will search the attic room for a will or papers.

The Direct Route to St. Clair Springs, Huron Beach, Charlevoix and the summer resorts of Michigan is the Wabash.

Wealthy Woman Starved.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 11.—Surrounded by all the evidences of poverty the body of Miss Hannah King was found lying on the floor of her home. Both were over 80 years of age. Miss King had starved to death and her brother, old and feeble, had been unable to go for help. Together they were worth probably over \$100,000.

Small Boys Steal Pocket Knives.

Two small boys, who had been arrested with several knives, new and old, bulging out of their pockets, were exhibited in Judge Peabody's court. The stories of the youthful fakers did not agree. John Rapp said he was peddling knives for a livelihood and William Murphy swore the property was found in a deserted box car. They were given \$20 sentences.

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James C. Halligan of Middletown, N. Y., attempted suicide in New York City.

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A monument to the Confederate dead was unveiled at Fayetteville, Ark., yesterday.

The cause of the suicide Alfred Quick at Cincinnati was his fear of mob vengeance.

The handsome new Odd Fellows building at Springfield, Ill., was dedicated yesterday.

J. O. Hower, a prominent citizen of Cleveland, O., was killed in a runaway yesterday.

J. B. Cobbs of Birmingham was elected president of the Alabama Bankers Association.

At Cleveland, O., Charles E. Cunningham was found guilty of forgery and fined \$15,000.

Albert Burke killed John Rathgeber in a saloon in Chicago. Both were livery operators.

Mrs. Eunice Maloney, wife of the founder of the Malloy Line, died in New York yesterday.

Miss Zoa Dunlap, a teacher of Edina, Mo., committed suicide in a fit of temporary insanity.

According to advices received at Washington a beef sugar crisis is impending in Europe.

Samuel Insull of Chicago was chosen

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**THEIR NOTES WERE ALLOWED.**

NEW TURN IN THE CRAIG WILL LITIGATION.

PART OF MRS. CRAIG'S ESTATE.

Two Daughters and an Aunt Allowed Claims Against the Estate Aggregating \$5,000.

A new turn was taken in the celebrated Craig estate litigation Friday. Mrs. Louise and Emma Craig, to whom the late John Craig bequeathed all of his wealth, except \$1, appeared in the Probate Court to ask the allowance of certain promissory notes, bearing the signature of the deceased father. The sisters said the aunt of the Craig sisters, was present also, with a note for allowance. The aggregate amount of the claim is \$5,000, covered by five notes of different dates and amounts.

After hearing the evidence the court allowed the claim. Attorney Frank Ottorf, representing William Craig, the son of the late James Craig, who was cut off with \$1, was present. The existence of these notes was a surprise to Mr. Ottorf. He had never heard of them, consequently he interrogated the claimants closely.

Two hours time was consumed in hearing the evidence. Both the Craig sisters and the aunt explained in detail how they came to possess the notes. The sisters said the notes represented their dead mother's inheritance from her father, Peter Breen, an old citizen of St. Louis.

James Craig's second wife was Ann Breen. She died when the Craig sisters were young and the father gave them notes to cover the amount of their mother's inheritance.

Catherine Breen, the mother of the late James Craig, said her note was for money loaned by her to James Craig.

During the examination the witnesses frequently declined to answer questions propounded by the attorney.

He announced his intention to take an appeal to the Circuit Court. William John Craig, who seeks to have the will set aside, is not in St. Louis at present. He is traveling in the West securing evidence in support of his claim.

The proceedings in probate grew out of the will controversy. Should the Circuit Court sustain the allowance made by the Probate Court, the Craig sisters will recover their notes, even though the will is set aside and the estate divided in the usual way.

**BOILER INSPECTOR ACTIVE.**

With the Supreme Court's Support He Goes After Unlicensed Engineers.

The Supreme Court having decided in the case of the City against the Tamm Glue Co. and the Myerose Lamp Co. that the ordinance regulating the use of boilers is valid, Boiler Inspector Price is going after violators of the law in earnest.

He has made a case against the proprietors of White's lunch room. He claims a boiler at the restaurant, which the test showed to be of 32 pounds capacity, was an unsafe boiler of 120 pounds per square inch.

He will also make complaint against the Kaiser innery and the Carrier of GILA, Clayton avenue. The latter is alleged to have a high pressure boiler on steam rollers, which is not in charge of a licensed engineer.

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To-Morrow, the \$1800 Mound City Stake.

**SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES.**

**SUMMER SCHOOL**

Principal William School will open schools at Anchor Hall, Jefferson and Park ave., and at Emma Craig, to whom the late John Craig bequeathed all of his wealth, except \$1, appeared in the Probate Court to ask the allowance of certain promissory notes, bearing the signature of the deceased father. The sisters said the aunt of the Craig sisters, was present also, with a note for allowance. The aggregate amount of the claim is \$5,000, covered by five notes of different dates and amounts.

After hearing the evidence the court allowed the claim. Attorney Frank Ottorf, representing William Craig, the son of the late James Craig, who was cut off with \$1, was present. The existence of these notes was a surprise to Mr. Ottorf. He had never heard of them, consequently he interrogated the claimants closely.

Two hours time was consumed in hearing the evidence. Both the Craig sisters and the aunt explained in detail how they came to possess the notes. The sisters said the notes represented their dead mother's inheritance from her father, Peter Breen, an old citizen of St. Louis.

James Craig's second wife was Ann Breen. She died when the Craig sisters were young and the father gave them notes to cover the amount of their mother's inheritance.

Catherine Breen, the mother of the late James Craig, said her note was for money loaned by her to James Craig.

During the examination the witnesses frequently declined to answer questions propounded by the attorney.

He announced his intention to take an appeal to the Circuit Court. William John Craig, who seeks to have the will set aside, is not in St. Louis at present. He is traveling in the West securing evidence in support of his claim.

The proceedings in probate grew out of the will controversy. Should the Circuit Court sustain the allowance made by the Probate Court, the Craig sisters will recover their notes, even though the will is set aside and the estate divided in the usual way.

**BOILER INSPECTOR ACTIVE.**

With the Supreme Court's Support He Goes After Unlicensed Engineers.

The Supreme Court having decided in the case of the City against the Tamm Glue Co. and the Myerose Lamp Co. that the ordinance regulating the use of boilers is valid, Boiler Inspector Price is going after violators of the law in earnest.

He has made a case against the proprietors of White's lunch room. He claims a boiler at the restaurant, which the test showed to be of 32 pounds capacity, was an unsafe boiler of 120 pounds per square inch.

He will also make complaint against the Kaiser innery and the Carrier of GILA, Clayton avenue. The latter is alleged to have a high pressure boiler on steam rollers, which is not in charge of a licensed engineer.

**The Summer Resorts of Michigan**

Are quickly and easily reached via the Wabash.

**TELEGRAPH BRIEFS.**

Arkansas deaf mutes held a convention at Malvern.

Hanna thinks the tariff bill will be completed by July 15.

The Marshall elevator at Chicago was burned to the ground.

The war between the Standard Oil and the Chicago beef combines goes on.

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In Chester County, S. C., Thos. Neal killed his wife, her grandmother and a neighbor and cremated their bodies. He is at large.

The production of coal in the United States in 1896 was 130,029,959 short tons, valued at \$128,557,499, a slight decrease from that of 1895.

Miss Rose Le Moine, an artist's model of New York, had William McGovern arrested for attentions and he was released on promise to quit.

The Trappist Monks of the New Melary Monastery, Dubuque County, Iowa, have chosen Rev. Fr. Alberic as their abbot, after he was soon be consecrated by Archbishop Hennesey.

**To Pearline Users Only.**



## THE BIDS FOR CITY LIGHTING.

BILL AUTHORIZING THEM COMES OUT OF SECLUSION.

LOCAL COMPANIES ON TOP.

They Wanted Delay and They Got It and May Get More of It.

After an unexplained delay of six weeks the ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Improvements to advertise for bids for doing the public lighting will probably be reported by the committee to-night.

No excuse has been made for the delay, which jeopardizes the chances of the city getting favorable terms.

The local companies are interested in the delay. Every week the letting is deferred increases their chances of getting the contract at advantageous figures.

The ordinance was sent to the Council by the Board of Public Improvements. It provides for asking bids for doing the work with gas or electricity and for erecting gas or electric plant, to be leased to the city.

It is not probable that the ordinance will be passed in its present form. The Assembly has no power to amend board ordinances, but it can send them back for suggested amendments. This will probably be done.

Mr. Heckel will present a resolution recommending this course and embodying a number of amendments, which he thinks are necessary.

One of these will be for asking bids on both a ten-year and a twenty-year basis. As at present under the ordinance contracts are for a franchise to do private electric lighting and authorized home use of electricity, the ordinance requiring them to pay the city 5 per cent of their gross earnings on private lighting.

This is to put the city companies on an equal footing with the Laclede company in the event of its winning the suit pending in the Supreme Court.

Mr. Heckel thinks outside gas companies should also be granted the privilege of furnishing gas to private parties for light, heat and power purposes.

The ordinance first sent to the Assembly authorizing the letting required the wires to be placed underground all over the city. The companies claim the expense of doing this would be so great that they refused to bid.

The pending ordinance does not require this. Mr. Heckel thinks unless they are required to put them under at least the greater part of the city complications will arise when the city attempts to force other companies under.

His resolution will suggest that under a ten-year contract all wires be placed underground within the territory bounded by Grand avenue on the west, Cass avenue on the north, Chouteau avenue on the south and the Mississippi river on the east, and if a twenty-year contract be accepted, wires between Cass avenue on the north, Broadway on the east to a line parallel with Taylor on the west to Arsenal street on the south, be placed underground on all improved streets within the territory.

Enacted within ten years after date of acceptance of contract.

Bids are called on four propositions and deposit of \$100 is required to accompany each bid. A company making all four bids would, therefore, have to put up \$400. Mr. Heckel suggests that the deposit be reduced from \$200.00 to \$100.00.

Mr. Heckel suggests that a bid has been made in not specifying that the contract shall be subject to the approval of the Assembly, and he will recommend that this provision be inserted.

This omission, he says, is only apparent. The charter requires all contracts to be so approved.

Water Commissioner Holman, chairman of the Lighting Committee of the Board, says he is glad the members of the Council are taking enough interest to send the ordinance back with suggestions.

"Our purpose in sending the ordinance to the Council in its present shape," he said Friday, "was to give the Assembly a chance to determine the policy of the city on the next letting. Changes suggested by the Assembly which are not impracticable will be made."

We did not confer a franchise on the gas company getting the contract because we did not believe any outside company could bid against the Laclede, which already has its plant. We expected the outside companies to bid under the leasing system."

**FELT LIKE A PILE-DRIVER.**

John C. Myers Denies Using a Monkey Wrench on Cecil Coppedge.

John C. Myers, the well-known sporting goods dealer, is aggrieved at published accounts of a whipping he administered to a young man named Cecil Coppedge Thursday afternoon. It was said that Myers had struck Coppedge in the mouth with a monkey-wrench. "I am physically capable of whipping any hoodlum in town with my fist," said Mr. Myers. "I thrashed Coppedge soundly for using offensive language in the presence of ladies. Perhaps he thought a pile driver had hit him, but he got what he richly deserved."

**DANGER IN SODA.**

Serious Results Sometimes Follow Its Excessive Use.

Common soda is all right in its place and indispensable in the kitchen and for cooking and washing purposes, but it was never intended for a medicine, and people who use it as such will some day regret it.

We refer to the common use of soda to relieve heartburn or sour stomach, a habit which thousands of people practice almost daily, and one which is fraught with danger. Stomachic soda only gives temporary relief, and in the end the stomach trouble gets worse and worse.

The soda acts as a mechanical irritant to the walls of the stomach and bowels, and cases are on record where it accumulated in the intestines, causing death by inflammation or peritonitis.

Dr. Harlandson recommends as the safest and surest cure for sour stomach (acid dyspepsia) an excellent preparation sold by druggists under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. These tablets are large—20 grain lozenges, very pleasant to taste and contain the natural acids, pepsines and digestive elements essential to good digestion, and when taken after meals they digest the food perfectly and promptly before it has time to ferment, sour and poison the blood and nervous system.

## SHE CAME TO HIM AS AN ANGEL.

AGED JOHANN MEITH TALKS OF HIS HOUSEKEEPER.

TWAS WOMAN'S GENTLE HAND.

The Old Man Says He Was Spell-Bound When He Gave His Wealth Away.

Such a story as that revealed by the legal battle between aged Johann Meith and his housekeeper, Josephine Holman, a comely woman of 33 years, for the purpose of recovering title to valuable real estate in this city.

As briefly outlined in a late edition of the Post-Dispatch Wednesday, Johann Meith, 76 years of age, has brought suit against his housekeeper, Josephine Holman, a comely woman of 33 years, for the purpose of recovering title to valuable real estate in this city.

Thursday the plaintiff's attorney filed a motion asking for the appointment of a receiver to take charge of the disputed property, pending disposition of the case in court. The application for the receiver is based on the plea that rents are to be collected from the Meith tenants and that all such money should be held until the courts decide to whom it belongs.

The details of how Johann Meith came to convey his valuable real estate to Josephine Holman, if true, form a story that is fascinating and weird.

As reported by the Post-Dispatch talked with the aged Mr. Meith Thursday morning.

"I was sick when the woman came to my house," said he, "and she was very kind to me. She was living alone and she said it was a shame for an old man like me to be deprived of the gentle care of a woman. She was lonely herself, she said, and would be delighted to make her home at my house. She would nurse me and give me the attention I so badly needed."

He had no other thought, he thought of the proposition. The woman kept on visiting me. At last I consented to take her in. She treated me very kindly at first. In fact, she concentrated her whole energy toward making my life comfortable. Gradually, our relations became particularly friendly. Finally, I was again sick. She said she would nurse me and give me the attention I so badly needed."

Continuing at great length the told of strange visitors who came to his house. The woman had been an angel to him. He will be established as law. One day a female fortune-teller and magic

doctor came. She at once became interested in the case. The old man was convinced that there is power in witchcraft. Strange stories of spooks and hobgoblins were related. Chimes were burned on tin pans in his room. This was in the nature of magic incantations.

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## FOR RENT ROOMS, ETC.

# Don't Wonder

At the hurrying throng,  
And think that there is  
something wrong.  
P.-D. Wants now are used by all—  
The big and little, great and small—  
Who daily their engagements meet,  
And go a hustling down the street.



## SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

20 words or less, 10c.

BAKER—Good cake baker wants work; sober and reliable; city references. Ad. H. 821, Post-Dispatch.

BAKER—Situations wanted by a first-class baker on bread and cake; city or country; can furnish refs. Ad. W. C. M. 100, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Situations wanted by boy of 17 in printing office or general work. Ad. H. 821, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Situations wanted by bright boy of 14 years; work of any kind, or to learn a trade. Ad. 1111 St. Louis, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Wanted, situation by boy of 17; work of any kind; offered, good penman; first-class references. Ad. E. 820, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Situations wanted by boy of 16 as house or dining-room boy; best of references. Ad. 1, 900, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Wanted, situation as assistant bookkeeper; good penman; expert at figures. Ad. G. 815, Post-Dispatch.

CABINETMAKER—Work wanted by a first-class cabinetmaker. Ad. O. 821, Post-Dispatch.

CABINETMAKER—An experienced cabinetmaker and upholsterer wants a position to do repairing. Ad. N. 821, Post-Dispatch.

COACHMAN—Wanted position as coachman; with good experience; can furnish references. Ad. 810, Post-Dispatch.

COLLECTOR—Situations wanted by reliable man; collecting, clerical or driving delivery; very best of references. Ad. O. 2504 Washington, Ad. A. 820, Post-Dispatch.

DRIVER—Wanted, position by a young man with good horse sense; to drive a car. Ad. 5340 Easton av., F. 1111, Post-Dispatch.

DRUG CLERK—Situations wanted by junior drug clerk; had 8 years' experience in prescription work; can give best of references. Ad. O. 2504 Washington, Ad. A. 820, Post-Dispatch.

HOME WANTED—Good home by an industrious man, understands lawn and working around house; general house specialties. A. Gordon, East St. Louis, Ill.

MAN—Wanted, work for Mondays only. Ad. G. 824, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Wanted, situation by colored man to work around house. 2511 Lafayette, Ad. 810, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—A strong German, middle-aged man, wishes a position to work around gentleman's place; a good houseman. 618 S. Broadway.

MAN—A man wants work in grocery store; will work cheap at start. Ad. L. 810, Post-Dispatch.

NIGHT CLERK—Situations wanted by elderly man as night clerk; honest, trustworthy; no objection to going to country. Ad. L. 818, Post-Dispatch.

PAINTER—Wants situation by day; no objection to going to country. Ad. L. 818, Post-Dispatch.

PAPERHANGER—Wants situation. Ad. H. 821, Post-Dispatch.

PORTER—Colored man wants a good place as a porter in a household or saloon; best ref. 2512 N. 12th st.

PORTER—Wanted, sit. by a young colored man as porter in a household or saloon; best ref. 2512 N. 12th st.

SALESMAN—Wanted, full or side line on commission; city and near by; references and bond. Ad. E. 822, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Wanted position in furnishing goods store; speaks German; city references. Ad. A. 821, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Wanted, position by expert stenographer; 8 years' experience; H. K. City preferred; must have work. Ad. H. A. Buck, 1716 Gratiot st.

UP—Suits and overalls to order. Mrs. F. T. Taylor, Co. 210 N. 8th, cor. Olive, 2d floor.

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## HELP WANTED—MALE.

20 words or less, 10c.

BAKER—Good cake baker wants work; sober and reliable; city references. Ad. H. 821, Post-Dispatch.

BAKER—Situations wanted by a first-class baker on bread and cake; city or country; can furnish refs. Ad. W. C. M. 100, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Situations wanted by boy of 17 in printing office or general work. Ad. H. 821, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Situations wanted by bright boy of 14 years; work of any kind, or to learn a trade. Ad. 1111 St. Louis, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Wanted, situation by boy of 17; work of any kind; offered, good penman; first-class references. Ad. E. 820, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Situations wanted by boy of 16 as house or dining-room boy; best of references. Ad. 1, 900, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Wanted, situation as assistant bookkeeper; good penman; expert at figures. Ad. G. 815, Post-Dispatch.

CABINETMAKER—Work wanted by a first-class cabinetmaker. Ad. O. 821, Post-Dispatch.

CABINETMAKER—An experienced cabinetmaker and upholsterer wants a position to do repairing. Ad. N. 821, Post-Dispatch.

COACHMAN—Wanted position as coachman; with good experience; can furnish references. Ad. 810, Post-Dispatch.

COLLECTOR—Situations wanted by reliable man; collecting, clerical or driving delivery; very best of references. Ad. O. 2504 Washington, Ad. A. 820, Post-Dispatch.

DRIVER—Wanted, position by a young man with good horse sense; to drive a car. Ad. 5340 Easton av., F. 1111, Post-Dispatch.

DRUG CLERK—Situations wanted by junior drug clerk; had 8 years' experience in prescription work; can give best of references. Ad. O. 2504 Washington, Ad. A. 820, Post-Dispatch.

HOME WANTED—Good home by an industrious man, understands lawn and working around house; general house specialties. A. Gordon, East St. Louis, Ill.

MAN—Wanted, work for Mondays only. Ad. G. 824, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Wanted, situation by colored man to work around house. 2511 Lafayette, Ad. 810, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—A strong German, middle-aged man, wishes a position to work around gentleman's place; a good houseman. 618 S. Broadway.

MAN—A man wants work in grocery store; will work cheap at start. Ad. L. 810, Post-Dispatch.

NIGHT CLERK—Situations wanted by elderly man as night clerk; honest, trustworthy; no objection to going to country. Ad. L. 818, Post-Dispatch.

PAINTER—Wants situation by day; no objection to going to country. Ad. L. 818, Post-Dispatch.

PAPERHANGER—Wants situation. Ad. H. 821, Post-Dispatch.

PORTER—Colored man wants a good place as a porter in a household or saloon; best ref. 2512 N. 12th st.

PORTER—Wanted, sit. by a young colored man as porter in a household or saloon; best ref. 2512 N. 12th st.

SALESMAN—Wanted, full or side line on commission; city and near by; references and bond. Ad. E. 822, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Wanted position in furnishing goods store; speaks German; city references. Ad. A. 821, Post-Dispatch.

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COOK WANTED—Colored cook and waitress about 10 years; references. 4132 Washington av.

COOK WANTED—A competent girl to cook, wash and iron; references required. 2522 Morgan st.

COOK AND DISHWASHER WANTED—Wanted. 1048 Taylor av.

DETECTIVE WANTED—A poor woman wants a lady detective; must be reasonable. Ad. M. 821, Post-Dispatch.

GIRL WANTED—To learn starching. 1008 Frank. 10 av.

GIRL WANTED—A good dining-room girl for hotel. 3 N. 20th st.

GIRL WANTED—Half-grown girl to wait on around the house; good home. 4244 Delmar.

GIRL WANTED—Experienced kitchen girl. B. 821, 100 Locust av.

GIRL WANTED—White girl from 15 to 20 years of age for dining-room and chamber work. 3400 Morgan st.

GIRLS WANTED—You can earn a high-grade salary. 100 Locust av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; references. 1107 Montgomery st.

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## ROOMS FOR RENT.

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BROADWAY, 315 S.—Nice, clean furnished second floor room; bath; gas; \$10 per week.

CARR AV., 2513—Third floor room unfurnished; large hall; use of bath; \$1 per week.

CHANNING AV., 806 N.—Nicely furnished room in young widow's home; gas; couple.

CHANNING AV., 715 N.—Two nicely furnished rooms, private family; for guests; refs. exchanged.

CHESTNUT ST., 10234—Nicely furnished rooms; southern exposure; also bath.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1516—Large 2d-story front room; all conveniences; private family.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1521—Nicely furnished, newly papered room; completely furnished for light housekeeping; only \$2 per week.

CLARK AV., 2333 (near Union Station)—Nicely furnished room; bath; gas; couple.

CLARK AV., 2154—Nicely furnished large, cool front room; private family; all conveniences; very reasonable.

EASTON AV., 2506—Nicely furnished front room; also bath room; bath; gas; couple.

EASTON AV., 4123—2nd floor large room; newly decorated; attic, porch, yard; \$5.

EASTON AV., 2505—Large front room; light and airy; southern exposure; private family; rent reasonable to 2 guests.

ELLIOT AV., 1402—Unfurnished front room, on the corner, only \$4 per month.

EMILY ST., 4611—Near Water Tower—Newly furnished; private family; for guests.

FINNEY AV., 3046—Large 2d-story room for two; also back parlor; single rent.

FRANKLIN AV., 2734—Nicely furnished front room for 2 gentlemen; private family.

GARRISON AV., 324 S.—3 furnished rooms; reasonable; terms reasonable.

JEFFERSON AV., 716 N.—Rooms, furnished or unfurnished; \$5 per month.

JEFFERSON AV., 414 N.—Large room, complete for housekeeping; rent \$10.

JEFFERSON AV., 1425 N.—Two nicely furnished rooms; private family; light housekeeping; bath and all conveniences.

LINDEN ST., 1000—3 nice, clean rooms; water; H. T. L. Linch & Co., 4154 Olive st.

LOCUST ST., 2614—Connecting rooms for gentlemen or man and wife for light housekeeping.

LOCUST ST., 2307—Handsome furnished front room; all conveniences; a lovely, modern home.

LOCUST ST., 1404—1st floor, large, furnished room; newly decorated; clean and cool; well kept; housekeeping; also single rooms, for gentlemen; \$1 per week.

LUCAS AV., 2613—Front room, complete for housekeeping; bath; all conveniences; cheap.

LUCAS AV., 2704—1 room on 3d floor, complete for housekeeping; terms reasonable.

LUCAS AV., 3413—Modern furnished room, in small private family; all modern conveniences; for guests; rent reasonable.

MORGAN ST., 3045—Room, southern and western exposure; private family; terms reasonable.

OLIVE ST., 2333—Hall room, with bath.

OLIVE ST., 1827—A basement room.

OLIVE ST., 1827—Nicely furnished front and back rooms for 1 or 2 guests.

OLIVE ST., 1603—1st-floor front room, neatly furnished; gentlemen or light housekeeping.

OLIVE ST., 848—Furnished room, single or en suite; bath; gas; couple.

PINE ST., 7084—Room 210—Desk room; large space; good light and cool for summer.

ROOM—Furnished room in Westcott, 2 blocks from car. Ad. P. 820, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS—3 rooms, West Hill, west of Leffingwell.

ROOM—Nicely furnished room for bachelor; 1st-class neighborhood. Southeast corner of Spring av. and Olive st.

ROOM—A lady without family would like to rent furnished room to guest or working girl. 1300 Menard st.

ROOMS—Two rooms, suitable for a dressmaker or doctor's office; rent only \$5. Ad. W. 2525 S. Jefferson st.

THERESA AV., 507—Near Hotel Beers—Handsome furnished rooms, complete for housekeeping; bath; gas; couple.

WASHINGTON AV., 2802—Elegantly furnished front room; bath and gas.

WASHINGTON AV., 2812—Newly papered and furnished large, cool room; gentlemen or couple.

WASHINGTON AV., 1235—Well furnished rooms; on 1st and 2d floors; gas and housekeeping; \$1, \$2, \$3, Post-Dispatch.

WYOMING ST., 2000—Two rooms; \$3.50.

10TH ST., 1119 S.—Rooms in suites or single; plenty of light and air.

15TH ST., 111 S.—Furnished rooms; newly papered and whitewashed; for housekeeping or guests.

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ROOMS WANTED—Two or three rooms, furnished complete for light housekeeping, within ten blocks of Main and Leveue; refs. private family preferred. Ad. W. F. M. 1830 Market st.

ROOM WANTED—A desirable furnished room, exp. in West End, west of Grand av., one with a north and south window preferred. Address, stating price, a 708, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS WANTED—Two furnished rooms, complete for light housekeeping; must be reasonable; state location and price. Ad. A. 802, Post-Dispatch.

FURNISHED HOUSES FOR RENT.

PINE ST., 2731—18 rooms; furnished; hot and cold water; bath and laundry.

WEST PINE BOUL., 4117—7-room detached house; hot and cold water, furnace, etc.; can be had for summer or longer time; \$60 a month. Nichols-Bitter S. and F. Co., 718 Chestnut st.

SUBURBAN PROPERTY FOR RENT.

COTTAGE—For rent, suburban cottage near Walla; rent free to good landholders; with plenty of fruit; also, employment for day nurses. Ad. L. 820, Post-Dispatch.

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